

To Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 2283 without my signature.

Ensuring that persons have access to information and referral to social services is of great importance to me. However, it is premature to enact legislation that requires federal funding that has yet to be passed by Congress.

The California Public Utilities Commission has begun the process of implementing “211” and can continue with its work in this area until the Congressional bill is enacted.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger